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## AMENDMENT A UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111

Commissioner for Patents Mail Stop: Amendment P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

Sir:

This Amendment is submitted in response to the proposed Examiner's Amendment received via facsimile on February 2, 2004, and the telephonic conference between the Examiner and the undersigned attorney on February 4, 2004. The courtesies extended to the undersigned attorney during that telephonic interview are greatly appreciated.

Please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Specification begins on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the claims begin on page 4 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 9 of this paper.

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